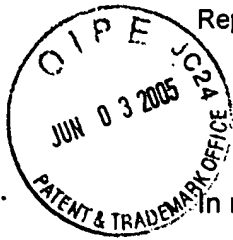


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Sir:

Responsive to the Office action mailed November 26, 2004, please reconsider the above-identified application.

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